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Title

QUARTZ GLASS CRUCIBLE FOR PULLING UP

SILICON SINGLE CRYSTAL AND METHOD FOR

MANUFACTURE THEREOF

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Examiner

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This response is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2007 in the above captioned application.

Please extend the period of response by two months to April 1, 2007. A check in the amount of \$820.00 to cover the two month extension fee, as well as the fee for adding independent claim 26 and its dependent claims 27 and 28, is enclosed. Please deduct any other fees necessary for entry of this amendment, from deposit account 501659.

Please amend the application as follows: